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Executive Clemency Report 1995

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| Name | Crime | Date, County, and Sentence | Executive Order Signed | Subsequent Convictions | Reason |
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| Michael Gary Davies | Assault and Battery with a Weapon | 4-1-69, Jefferson, 3yrs Probation, 4mos jail | 4-9-93, Racicot, Pardon | None | Demonstrated exemplary performance |
| Gene Earl Brown | Issuing a Bad Check | 11-14-90, Flathead, 10yrs | 11-6-92, Stephens, Commutation | None | Substitute non-dangerous for dangerous designation to allow parole eligibility (terminal illness) |
| John Dickens Armstrong | Aggravated Assault; Intimidation; Deviate Sexual Conduct; Escape | 7-30-79, Dawson, 40yrs | 10-7-92, Stephens, Commutation | 8-93, Absconded parole Warrant issued | Substitute non-dangerous for dangerous designation to allow parole eligibility (life in danger) |
| Lynn D. Kirsch | Possession of Dangerous Drugs with Intent to Sell | 3-22-82, Missoula, 5yrs | 10-19-92, Stephens, Pardon | None | 10 years of exemplary adjustment |
| Edward Keith Joliff | Theft | Fergus, 45 days MSP, 3yrs Probation | 10-19-92, Stephens, Pardon | None | Demonstrated exemplary performance |
| Francis Lee Auld | Negligent Homicide | Missoula, 9yrs w/7yrs 182 days suspended | 4-23-92, Stephens, Pardon | None | Demonstrated exemplary performance |
| Debra Segna | Forgery | Silverbow, 10yrs | 11-27-91, Stephens, Pardon | None | Demonstrated exemplary performance |
| Mark Murnion | Sale of Drugs; Possession of Drugs; Theft | Fergus, 2yrs | 4-10-91, Stephens, Pardon | 3-94, Criminal Contempt Forsyth, Mt. 1 day jail | Demonstrated exemplary performance |
| Letha Martz | Issuing Bad Checks | Richland, 3yrs | 6-26-90, Stephens, Pardon | 3-94, DUI Billings, MT Fine | Demonstrated exemplary performance - employment limitations |
| Wanda Marie Olsen | Forgery; Possession of Dangerous Drugs | Yellowstone, 2yrs, 6mos | 6-12-90, Stephens, Pardon | None | Demonstrated exemplary performance - employment limitations |
| Robert Richard Reed | Burglary | 7-22-83, Custer, 5yrs Probation | 5-22-90, Stephens, Pardon | None | Minor offense, no criminal history, and exemplary performance |
| Arthur Fenton | Issuing Bad Checks | 5-10-47, Cascade, 1yr | | | length of time elapsed since conviction - exemplary performance |

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| David C. Keith | Aggravated Kidnapping | 4-17-85, Lake, Death | 12-29-88, Schwinden, Commutation | None | |
| Scott Koontz | Burglary | 4-25-75, Park, 60 days Prison, 3yrs 6mos Probation | 5-13-88, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance |
| John P. Clair | Murder, 2nd | 6-2-55, Lewis & Clark, 75yrs | 5-13-88, Schwinden, Commutation | None | Committed to time served - length of time served, good adjustment |
| James L. Smith | Manslaughter | 5-2-63, Silverbow, 5yrs | 2-25-88, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance for over 20 years |
| William Foster | Attempted Deliberate Homicide; Robbery | 4-23-75, Silverbow, 25yrs | 2-9-88, Schwinden, Commutation | 1-90, Poss. of Drugs, (2cents) Carson City, Nv. 1 year (A number of other arrests but no convictions on record) | Sentence committed to time served |
| Delmer J. Howard | Murder | 11-9-54, Silverbow, 18yrs | 2-9-88 Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance for nearly 30 years |
| Charles A. Vestre | Issuing Bad Checks | 1-19-54, Flathead, 10yrs | 10-16-87, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance, time elapsed since offense, minor offense |
| Patrick E. Durnam | Possession of Dangerous Drugs, 2cts | 1-19-78, Gallatin, 7yrs w/3yrs 6mos suspended | 7-20-87, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance |
| Everette T. Howard | Mitigated Deliberate Homicide; Burglary | 6-14-77, Missoula, 25yrs w/15yrs ss; 6-30-64, Silverbow, 3yrs Probation | 7-20-87, Schwinden, Pardon and Commutation | None | Committed sentence to time served and granted Pardon. Tremendous rehab effort - Masters degree |
| Justin Fields | Possession Dangerous Drugs | 5-2-75, Yellowstone, 18mos | 3-9-87, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance, time elapsed since offense |
| Eugene E. Palmeau | Sexual Assault | 1-14-83, Cascade, 10yrs | 12-22-86, Schwinden, Commutation | None | Time committed from 10yrs to 5yrs - terminal illness (6-8-87 deceased) |
| William F. Massoe | Theft, 5cts | 7-1-80, Meagher, 5yrs Probation | 8-21-86, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance |

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| Kenneth M. Ingle | Theft | 3-1-82, Lincoln, 5yrs Probation | 8-21-86, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance |
| John G. Fairservice | Burglary | 3-28-52, Toole, 3yrs Probation | 8-21-86, Schwinden, Pardon | 5-91, Agg. Burglary/Use of a Dang. Weapon. Great Falls, MT 20 years MSP | Exemplary performance, time elapsed since conviction - employment restrictions |
| Joseph Miller Sr. | Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle; Forgery | 5-19-54, Valley, 3yrs; 2-21-51, Roosevelt, 1yr | 2-13-85, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance |
| Robert L. Olson | Grand Larceny; Forgery; Burglary | 5-26-72, Lincoln, 14yrs all ss but 5mos; 5-27-68, Toole, 3yrs 6mos; 10-20-66, Toole, 48mos | 2-13-85, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Time elapsed since conviction, exemplary performance |
| Donald E. Ferriter | Disorderly Conduct; DWI | 3-8-81, Lewis & Clark, Bond Forfeiture; 7-24-78, Lewis & Clark, Fine | 8-13-84, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Business restrictions, exemplary performance |
| Edwin Rasmussen | Deliberate Homicide | 4-30-75, Fergus, 50yrs w/20yrs suspended | 7-12-84, Schwinden, Commutation | 7-94, Domestic Abuse White Sulfur, MT. 2 days jail | Sentence commuted to 25yrs - end lengthy supervision |
| Jesse R. Coate | Theft (m) | 7-6-83, Rosebud, 30 days Jail suspended | 3-16-84, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance |
| Alex Sam | Armed Robbery | 9-30-52, Missoula, 20yrs | 3-16-84, Schwinden, Pardon | None | Exemplary performance, time elapsed since conviction |
| Grace Laverne Chasing Hawk | Negligent Homicide | 9-24-75, Yellowstone, 10yrs w/3yrs suspended | 1-12-84, Schwinden, Pardon | 9-84, Disorderly Conduct Hardin, MT Fine | Exemplary performance |

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